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TO : C J

FROM : C J

SUBJECT: Norris J. WARDYKE - Deputy District Agent - KMBELLE Project.

REF : HEIDG-842

1. Reference is made to the above cable requesting initiation of a Home Office investigation of the above subject whom we wish to employ as a Deputy District Agent under the KMBELLE Project—a proposed distribution net operating within the general sphere of the QKFENCE Program.

2. The following information is enclosed:

a. Application submitted by subject. Subject's photograph will be forwarded as soon as it is received.

b. Memorandum from C J, dated 16 June 1949, regarding subject.

3. As indicated in C J's memorandum the subject, if cleared for employment, will be engaged in the clandestine distribution of material produced by the editorial organization of the QKFENCE Program. The proposed assignment is in accordance with the prior basic planning for QKFENCE and I am in agreement with the outline of duties and the recommended salary.

4. A field investigation of the subject has already been initiated and the results will be transmitted to you as soon as possible. In the meantime, it will be appreciated if you will proceed with your Home Office investigation on the basis of the information contained in this memorandum.

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16 June 1949

To: []

From: []

Subject: Norris J. Nordyke

1. Subject, if employed, will be a member of the KIMBELLE chain and serve as Deputy District Agent in District #3 on the western side of the border (distribution of the material to the stations where it is to be picked up by the border crossers). He was recruited by Lemuel E. Napier, who will be his only connection with the head of the chain.

2. Subject possesses adequate cover through his work in his father's firm as indicated in question 11 of his application.

3. With reference to question 21, subject has been instructed to furnish references in the British and French Zones.

/s/ []

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To be filled out in duplicate
Attach photograph

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APPLICATION

INSTRUCTION: Fill out this form in duplicate and attach a photograph to each copy. List your name, date when it was taken, on the reverse side of the picture. Every question must be answered fully and correctly. Use separate sheets if there is not enough space in the questionnaire and apply the number of the question to them. Please type the answers, or write clearly with ink (proper names should be printed in block letters). Your application will be considered confidential but certain information will be checked; therefore, give complete and correct information.

1. Name : (Sur- and firstname, maiden name, author- or artist name, nickname, possible changes of name with date and reason of change.)

Norris J. NORDYKE

2. Present address : (House- and Apartment number, Telephone etc.)

Haan (Rhine-land, Germany) Mähner- Muhle #11, Telephone #160.

3. Date of Birth, Place of Birth and Country :

20 February 1912 in Bochum (British Zone of Germany)

4. Marital Status : (Single, married, widowed, divorced; and number of children and their age.)

Married, one child (newly born)

5. Subsistence : (Do you live entirely or partly on your income? From which members of your family do you receive assistance or which ones are supported by you? With whom, of these persons, do you live in the same household?)

Depends upon own income - has to support wife and child.

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6. Citizenship : (If you did not have your present citizenship since birth, give complete information on former citizenships and date and reason of change of same.)
- German
7. Identification Cards : (List all your legal personal-documents with name, number, date and office of execution.)
- Identity card of the British Zone of Germany No. AB 831461 ACC
- issued at Haan.
8. Description : a) Height : 172 centimeters . . . b) Weight : 74 kilograms . . .
- c) Color of Hair : dark blond d) Color of Eyes : blue
- e) Scars, Marks or Deformities : . . . None
9. Education : (List all schools you attended, the years of attendance, certificates, diplomas, etc.)
- Elementary school and high school in Essen (British Zone of Germany), . . .
- graduated in 1928.
10. Foreign Languages : (Which foreign languages do you speak - write - read? How well acquainted are you with this language and when and where did you learn same?)
- Good knowledge of English and French
11. Present employment : (Employer and his address, kind of work you are doing, since when, and why do you want to change your position?)
- Employed in chemical laboratory of father, Gustav ^{NORDYKE} specializing . . .
- in hard metal alloys (vidia steel), as buyer and salesman - since 1930. . .
- (At present without income since enterprise has been closed since the . . .
- end of the war.)

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12. Former employment : (During the last 10 years, list details as in No. 11, and if employed in Military Service, give last employment before the war.)

See #13
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13. Military Service : (Including enforced domestic employment, war-obligations etc.; if voluntary or ordered, date of employment or service, name of unit, highest rank, military honors, wounds, imprisonment, by which army and in which camps.)

Drafted into the German Army in May 1940. Artillery observer, Cadre . . .
Detachment No. 1, Königsberg. Participated in the campaign in Russia with
Anti-Tank Detachment No. 258 - rank, corporal. Medal for the Eastern
campaign and War Service Cross, 2nd Class. In U.S. captivity from . . .
April to July 1945, Camp Bad Hersfeld.
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14. Political Activities and Affiliations :

- a) Before 1933 : (Have you been affiliated with any party, which one? Did you have any rank or position? Did you have any further practice?)

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- b) 1933 - 1945 : (Have you been a member of the National Socialistic Party or of any associated organization? Which one, when joined, in which group or other section, what number of membership? Did you have any position in any of these organizations, paid or honorary, or any other public position? Have you been persecuted, punished or reviled during this time for your political or religious beliefs or for your conception of the world? List all details, possible prison numbers, court files etc. and references.)

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- c) Are you denazified or are you expecting such a proceeding? (If so, give denazification court and file number. If denazification is completed, give date and result of your proceeding.)

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- d) Are you victim of "Fascism" or of the "Nuernberger Law"? Are you legal confessed? (If so, give name and address of confessing office or organization, date and file number.)

No
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- e) Since the end of the war, with which political party, trade union, youth organization or women club or any other political, professional, philanthropic, or similar organization or club are you affiliated with at the present time or any other time since May 1945? have you any rank or position, paid or honorary, in such organizations? Which one? Do you hold any public office such as state, district council or economic board. If so, where, since when and in what position?)

No
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15. Knowledge of home and foreign countries :

- a) In which german cities (Except the ones already mentioned in question 9, 12, 13 and your present residence) did you reside, when, and how long)

Travelled much within Germany (on business, see #11 above),
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- b) In which foreign countries have you lived and visited? (List, chronologically, all residences in foreign countries, where, how long, when and for what reason have you been there.)

1933 - Spain, visiting relatives for one month.
1934 - Several business trips to France.
1935-1938 - On business in Switzerland.
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- c) Do you want to emigrate and are you registered for this purpose at any consulate or other office or organization? (If so, give name of the country you want to emigrate to, name and address of office where you are registered and registration number, also approximate time of departure, if known.)

No

16. Previous convictions : (Are you previously convicted by any court, except possible proceedings, mentioned in question 14 b. If so, when, by which court, why, and what is the result of such possible trials?)

No

17. Habits : (What do you do with your leisure time?)

Piano playing, German, English and American literature.

18. Special Knowledges : (List all professional, artistic or scientific knowledge which you did not mention in question 9, 10, 11, 12. For example : Typewriting, shorthand, driving, photography, drawing, painting, special scientific studies.)

Typing, driving, photography

19. Publications : (Which books, magazines etc. did you write, when and where published, under what name? With which newspapers or magazines are you working regularly and in which position?)

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20. Condition of your application :

- a) What kind of position do you desire, or what kind are you willing to accept?
Distribution of material
- b) What is the salary you claim, respectively your other conditions?
The same as before
- c) How soon would you be able to start in this position?
Immediately
- d) Are you interested in a full time job or in a part time job? (How much time do you have; at what hours would you be available? Are you interested in odd jobs?)
Available approximately 15 days a month
- e) Would you take a job in another town? (If so, where, how long and under what conditions? For example: can you leave by yourself or do you have to be accompanied by someone?)
Yes, if living separately from my family is compensated, or if ..
my family can accompany me.

21. References : (Give five persons as reference, who are not related to you and are living in the American Zone of Germany, in the American Sector of Berlin or in the United States. They should have known you for sometime, so they can give sufficient information about you, your qualifications, habits etc.)

- a) Name : . . . (I do not have an references in the U.S. Zone, but I . . .
Address : . . . would be able to furnish references in the British and . . .
Occupation : French Zones.)
Since when acquainted : . . .
How acquainted : . . .
- b) Name : . . .
Address : . . .
Occupation : . . .
Since when acquainted : . . .
How acquainted : . . .

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c) Name :

Address :

Occupation :

Since when acquainted :

How acquainted :

d) Name :

Address :

Occupation :

Since when acquainted :

How acquainted :

e) Name :

Address :

Occupation :

Since when acquainted :

How acquainted :

22. Other : (State additional facts not mentioned in the foregoing answers,
which in your opinion are necessary to properly evaluate your app-
lication, such as physical handicaps, likes and dislikes, etc.,
which will influence your work.)

No

I CERTIFY with my signature that the foregoing information is true and complete
to the best of my knowledge.

Place and Date : Haan, 5 June 1949

Signature :

. /s/ Norris J. Nordyke

Special Attention :

Attach only those copies of certificates, publications, and other data